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Arrivals.

Dec. 3, Dragon, Siam. sh., 735, Wichers, Chefoo 23rd November, General.—Chinese.

Dec. 3, Mars, Amer. str., 672, Barnett, Amoy 2nd December, General.—Ava. Heard & Co.

Dec. 3, Herzog Ernst, North Ger. bk., 288, Conrad, Yokohama 24th November, General.—Meichers & Co.

Dec. 3, Yesso, Brit. str., 580, Ashton, Foochow 1st December, Amoy 2nd, and Swatow 3rd, General.—D. Lapraik & Co.

Departures.

Dec. 3, Albion, str., for Amoy, &c.

Dec. 3, Asiatic, for Bangkok.

Dec. 3, Golden, for Bangkok.

Clearances.

At the Harbour Master's Office, December 3rd.

Henry Miller, for Saigon.

Rapid, for Bangkok.

Jessie, for Amoy.

Hylton Castle, for Bangkok.

Passengers.

Per *Mars*, str., from Amoy.—1 Cabin and 4 Chinese.

Per *Yesso*, str., from East Coast.—Messrs. Guerineau, Hitchcock, Boyd, Antonini, 3 Europeans and 51 Chinese.

Reports.

The Siam ship *Paragon* from Chefoo, reports until abreast of Shanghai light Southerly winds, since then strong monsoon and heavy sea to Hongkong.

The North German bark *Hoang Ernst* reports having light and variable winds until the 28th Nov., in lat. 22.32 N., and long. 116.18 E. Strong gales then commenced, which lasted until the 2nd inst., when having lost fore topmast and top-gallantmasts, and ship straining much in the heavy cross sea, determined to bear away for Hongkong, having brought Bisdale's Point to bear W.S.W., and really masters the great difficulty; the wreck was made plunging in the dreadful sea.

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200 CASKS best Portland CEMENT. Apply to EDUARD SCHELLHASS & Co.

1f 2235 Hongkong, 29th November, 1869.

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1f 1895 Macao, 5th October, 1869.

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1f 2171 Hongkong, 16th November, 1869.

SPANISH CONSULATE.

TENDERS will be received at this Consulate for the Service of the MAIL STEAMERS between Singapore and Manila.

The conditions can be seen at the Office of this Consulate.

1f 2021 Hongkong, 25th October, 1869.

NEITHER the Captain nor the Agents of the North German Schooner *Anna*, will be responsible for any debts contracted by the officers or crew of the said vessel.

EDUARD SCHELLHASS & Co., Agents of North German Schooner *Anna*.

1f 2151 Hongkong, 15th November, 1869.

NEITHER the Captain nor the Agents of the American Barque *Forest Belle*, will be responsible for any debts contracted by the crew of the said vessel.

RUSSELL & Co., Agents, Barque *Forest Belle*.

1d 2214 Hongkong, 23rd November, 1869.

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1f 1775 Hongkong, 11th September, 1869.

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1f 861 Hongkong, 1st May, 1869.

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1m 2169 Hongkong, 6th November, 1869.

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1f 909 Macao, 12th March, 1869.

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1f 1662 Hongkong, 1st January, 1869.

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1f 2051 Hongkong, 1st November, 1869.

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2229 Hongkong, 24th November, 1869.

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1f 2317 Amoy, December, 1868.

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1f 876 May3

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1f 1639 Hongkong, 26th August, 1869.

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September, 1869 [1914

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She has two boilers, single return flue with Steam Dinnies.

The steamer has lately undergone the most thorough repair in Hull, Engine, and Boilers.

Tenders for the purchase of the Steamer will be received, and any further information will be given by the Agents.

AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co.

1m 2156 Hongkong, 16th November, 1869.

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22nd November, 1869. [404 2190

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF HONGKONG.

IN BANKRUPTCY.

NOTICE.—TAM-FOO, otherwise TAM-PAK-CHUNG, otherwise TAM-KWOK-CHUNG, of Victoria, Hongkong, Comprador and Merchant, having been adjudged Bankrupt under a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed in the Supreme Court on the *Nineteenth day of August, One thousand Eight hundred and Sixty-nine*, a Public Sitting for the said Bankrupt to pass his last examination, and make application for his discharge, will be held before the Honorable Julian Pauncefote, Esquire, Acting Chief Justice of the said Court, at the Supreme Court House, Victoria, Hongkong, on *Wednesday, the Eighth day of December, One thousand Eight hundred and Sixty-nine*, at the hour of Eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.

At this meeting proofs of the debts of the Creditors will be received.

William Hastings Alexander, Esquire, is the Official Assignee, and Mr. Francis James Hazeland is the Solicitor acting in the Bankruptcy.

Supreme Court House,
Hongkong, 20th November, 1869. [2209

In the matter of EDWARD CONSTANT RAY.

Notice to Creditors pursuant to the Bankruptcy Ordinance, 1844, Section 170.

EDWARD CONSTANT RAY, lately trading in copartnership with JOSEPH JOHNSON RAY, as a Storekeeper and Commission Merchant, at Victoria, in the Colony of Hongkong, under the style or firm of "Ray & Co.," and now of Victoria, aforesaid, Mercantile Assistant, on *the Eighteenth day of November instant*, having executed a Deed of Assignment for the benefit of Creditors, which can be inspected at the Office of me, the undersigned, and whereof William Rudolph Lambstein and John Fairbairn, both of Victoria, aforesaid, Merchants, are Trustees, the Creditors of the said Edward Constant Ray are hereby required to signify their assent to or dissent from such Deed by notice in writing addressed to the Trustees within Fourteen days from the date of the insertion of this notice.

EDMUND SHARP, *Solicitor to the said Edward Constant Ray.*

Bank Buildings,
12th November, 1869. [2210

THE Undersigned have been appointed Sole Agents for the above Company for a *Period of Two days*, on Merchandize stored in first-class Godowns, at 4th of one per cent.

JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., *General Managers.*

1f 619 Hongkong, January, 1867.

Auctions.

PUBLIC AUCTION.

THE Undersigned will sell by Public Auction, at the residence of Messrs. F. & H. Bridges, 92, *Wellington Street*, on *TUESDAY*, the 7th day of December, 1869, at noon, The whole of the Household and Office FURNITURE, comprising:—

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J. M. ARMSTRONG, *Auctioneer.*

2270 Hongkong, 2nd December, 1869.

PUBLIC AUCTION.

WILL be sold by Public Auction, at Hongkong, China, on *WEDNESDAY*, the 15th day of December, 1869, at 2 P.M., The Steam Gun Boat "*MAUMEE*," as she now stands, with the exception of her Armament and Stores, under the cognizance of the different Bureaus at Washington.

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A. H. GILMAN, *Fleet Paymaster.*

Further particulars can be obtained on application to the Commander on board.

2196 Hongkong, 16th November, 1869.

PUBLIC AUCTION.

COPYRIGHT AND PLANT OF "SHANGHAI RECORDER."

THE Undersigned have received instructions from the proprietor to sell by Public Auction, on *WEDNESDAY*, 22nd December, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon, (unless previously disposed of by private contract), the Copyright and Plant of the Daily Newspaper called "THE SHANGHAI RECORDER."

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2258 Shanghai, 25th November, 1869.

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1f 2270 Hongkong, 1st December, 1869.

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2m 2059 Canton, 26th October, 1869.

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1f 2172 Hongkong, 17th November, 1869.

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1f 2176 Hongkong, 17th November, 1869.

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2nd " $40
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By order,
H. P. AUSTIN, *Treasurer.*

6m 1314 Hongkong, 25th October, 1869.

G. DA SILVEIRA, JEWELLER AND WATCH MAKER, *2 doors west the Hongkong Dispensary*, QUEEN'S ROAD, HONGKONG. [May 11

JUST Published by the undersigned, Portraits of H.R.H. the Duke of Edinburgh, K.G., K.T., Views of H.M.S. *Galatea*, the Public Landing, and the City Decorations.

J. THOMSON, Commercial Bank Buildings.

2207 Hongkong, 22nd November, 1869.

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1f 1518 Hongkong, 9th August, 1869.

Intimations.

SPANISH CONSULATE.

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For particulars apply at the Office of this Consulate.

The Spanish Consul,
THOMAS ORTUNO.

1f 2009 Hongkong, 6th November, 1869.

NOTICE.

IN THE ESTATE OF THOMAS THOMPSON, DECEASED.

PROBATE of the last will and testament of THOMAS THOMPSON, late of Pagoda Anchorage, Port of Foochow, having been granted to the undersigned, Executrix in the said will named, all persons indebted to the said Estate are hereby required to pay the amount of their debts forthwith. Persons having Claims against the Estate, are hereby required to send in particulars of their Claims to the undersigned, at Pagoda Anchorage, Foochow, or on before the 15th December, 1869, after which date no Claims will be received or admitted.

M. E. THOMPSON, *Executrix.*

Dated at Pagoda Anchorage, November 11th, 1869. [2184 2166

BEST KEROSINE OIL, in *Cases, Tins and Bottles.*

LANE, CRAWFORD & Co.

1d 2249 Hongkong, 29th November, 1869.

CHRISTMAS MEATS.

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J. W. WOOD, *Secretary.*

Club Chambers,
Hongkong, 29th July, 1869. [1f 1402

NOTICE.

IN THE ESTATE OF DOUGLAS LAPRAIK, DECEASED.

PROBATE of the last Will and Testament of DOUGLAS LAPRAIK, formerly of Hongkong, and lately of Acton, deceased, having been granted to the undersigned, one of the Executors in the said Will named, all persons indebted to the said Estate are hereby required to pay the amount of their debts for with. Persons having claims against the Estate are hereby required to send in particulars of their claims to the undersigned, at the Office of Messrs. Douglas Lapraik & Co., or to Henry C. Caldwell, Esq., Solicitor, on or before the 31st day of January, 1870, after which date no claims will be received or admitted.

Dated Hongkong, 9th day of July, 1869.

R. B. BAKER, *Executor.*

1f 1342

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133, QUEEN'S ROAD CENTRAL, HONGKONG. [Sept. 8

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1f 637 Hongkong, 2nd October, 1869.

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1f 1014 Hongkong, 25th May, 1869.

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References:—

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IN THE SUPREME COURT OF HONGKONG.

IN BANKRUPTCY.

NOTICE.—YUE HOP, trading under the firm name of Sun-mow, Bonham Strand, having been adjudged Bankrupt under a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed in the Supreme Court on the *Fourteenth day of June, One thousand Eight hundred and Sixty-nine*, an adjourned Public Sitting for the said Bankrupt to pass his discharge, will be held before the Honorable Julian Pauncefote, Esq., Acting Chief Justice of the said Court, at the Supreme Court House, Victoria, Hongkong, on *Friday, the Tenth day of December, One thousand Eight hundred and Sixty-nine*, at the hour of Eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.

At this meeting proofs of the Debts of the Creditors will be received.

Frederick Stanley Huffam, Esquire, is the Official Assignee, and Mr. Francis James Hazeland is the Solicitor acting in the Bankruptcy.

Supreme Court House,
Hongkong, 29th November, 1869. [1341 2251

SAIL MAKING.

WILLIAM DOLAN having returned to Hongkong, has resumed his business of SAIL MAKING in all its branches, at his old place in *Dudell Street*, and solicits the patronage of the Public.

He has on hand a fine assortment of 8 and 10 ounce HAVINS DUCK, suitable for Boat Sails or Awnings.

1f 853 Hongkong, 30th April, 1869.

Intimations.

THE CHINA AND JAPAN MARINE INSURANCE COMPANY.

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Head Office, Shanghai.
Secretaries, pro tem., Trautmann & Co.

Counsel to the Company.
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London:
Committee of Three Directors.
Agents, Messrs. Rohr, Benson & Co.

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THE Company will commence business in January next, or as soon after as the Directors shall have been enabled to allot the Shares.

The Company will be a permanent one.

The Net Profits will be divided every year as follows: 30 per cent will be returned as Bonus to all *Contributors* of business, rateably in proportion to the amount of Net Premia contributed. Interest at the rate of 12 per cent. per annum on the paid up Capital will be paid to the *Shareholders*, and the Balance of the Net Profits carried to the Reserve Fund.

When the Reserve Fund shall have reached Tls. 300,000, the Net Profits will be divided as follows: 30 per cent. to all Contributors of Business; 20 per cent. to the Reserve Fund; and 50 per cent. to the Shareholders.

When the Reserve Fund shall have reached Tls. 500,000, the Net Profits will then be divided as follows: 30 per cent. to all Contributors of Business; and 70 per cent. to the Shareholders.

The Funds will be in the hands of the Directors both at Shanghai and London, and also at such places where the business proves large enough to warrant a Committee of Directors.

Messrs. Trautmann & Co. will officiate as Secretaries till 31st December, 1870, by which time the necessary arrangements will be completed for securing the services of a qualified Secretary from England.

For Forms of Application for Shares, and Copies of the Deed of Settlement, apply to the undersigned.

TRAUTMANN & Co., *Secretaries, pro tem.*

2254 Shanghai, 23rd November, 1869.

OFFICE OF THE CHINA TRADERS' INSURANCE CO., LIMITED.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Ordinary MEETING of the Shareholders of the above Company will be held at the Head Office, Victoria, Hongkong, on WEDNESDAY, the 15th December, 1869, at 3 o'clock P.M., for the purpose of receiving the Report of the Committee, together with a statement of Accounts to 31st October, 1869.

By order of the Committee,
AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co., *General Agents.*

2262 2196 Hongkong, 20th November, 1869.

OFFICE OF THE CHINA TRADERS' INSURANCE CO., LIMITED.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Register of Shares of the Company will be closed from the 29th day of November to 15th December, 1869, (both days included), during which period no transfer of Shares can be registered.

By order of the Committee,
AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co., *General Agents.*

2263 2197 Hongkong, 20th November, 1869.

THE HONGKONG FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY, *Limited.*

NOTICE.

THE Transfer Books of the Company will be CLOSED from the 18th to the 31st instant, both days included.

JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., *General Managers.*

1m 2265 Hongkong, 1st December, 1869.

DR. VARNUM D. COLLINS, HOLDING a Diploma from the Philadelphia Dental College, resumes the practice of his profession at Hongkong. *Office and Residence, 59, Wyndham Street*; but patients visited at their homes if desired. All discases of the teeth treated, and artificial work inserted on gold, silver, vulcanite and Allen's continuous gum.

1f 1150 Hongkong, 14th June, 1869.

CANTON, 24th November, 1869.

THE Undersigned, beg to inform every merchantman and whatever person interested in the matter, that a certain Mr. Charles Fanneck, styling himself as a Belgian subject, and sometimes taking the name of "D'Hasenkamp," has run away from my house, in which he was employed as a Clerk, leaving an enormous deficit, and taking my Passport, by Chequ Book of the *Chartered Mercantile Bank*, and few other important papers.

As I fear that that person makes an abuse of my name and my papers towards new dupes, I beg to give you this very information for yourself taking care. Yours faithfully,

C. PERRIN, *French Merchant, Canton.*

TERMS.—For a family or a party $2 a-day, including the use of Billiard, &c., &c.

J. M. DA SILVA.

2283 3rd December, 1869.

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2d 2248 Hongkong, 29th November, 1869.

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P 1 " " Sold to C. D. Nichols.
L 16, 20 "
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P 1 "

T. A. HARRIS, *Agent.*

1f 2213 Hongkong, 27th November, 1869.

NOTICE.

THE following cases have been landed and stored at the risk and expense of the Consignees, who are requested to take immediate delivery.

Ex "Hoogly," 23rd August, 1869.

Vic. A.C. 1 Portmanteau.

C. BERTRAND, *Principal Agent.*

Hongkong, 24th November, 1869.

Intimations.

A CHINESE THEATRICAL PERFORMANCE, by a company of First-class actors, will take place in TUNG-FUNG THEATRE, at Tai-ping-shan, for six days and nights, commencing from the 4th and ending on 10th of December, during which time all wonderful performances will be performed, and all actors will be fully attired in new dresses.

Bathan Chair $1.00

1w 2271 Hongkong, 2nd December, 1869.

FOR SHANGHAI.

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2200 Hongkong, 4th December, 1869.

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CALLERY.—Dictionnaire Pneumatique de la Langue Chinoise. Par J. M. Callery. Two volumes 8vo., Macao, 1841. £3 3s.

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CHINESE REPOSITORY.—Vol. XII, No. 6, 1, 12; XIII, 8, 11; XV, 1, 5, 6; XVI, 1, 4, 6, 7, 1; XVII, 1, 2-4, 6, 11.

CHINESE Miscellany, consisting of original extracts from Chinese authors, in the native character; with Translations and Philological remarks. By Rob. Mo rison. 4vo. pp. 62, bound, calf. London, 1825. 15s.

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EDKINS.—A Grammar of the Chinese colloquial language, commonly called the Mandarin dialect. By Joseph Edkins, B.A., London, Foreign Secretary of the Bibliographical Society of France, of the London Missionary Society, Peking. Second edition. Royal 8vo., pp. vii and 320, sewed; Shanghai, 1864. £1 15s. 6d.

EDKINS.—Progressive Lessons in the Chinese spoken language, with lists of common words and phrases, and appendix containing the lists of terms in the Peking dialect. By Joseph Edkins, London Missionary Society, Peking. Second edition. 8vo. pp. vi and 102, sewed. Shanghai, 1864. 14s.

GRADUATED READING.—A work comprising a circle of knowledge in 500 lessons. (Chinese and English). Gradation I. Second edition, improved 8vo, 50 sheets. (The first edition appeared in 1856.) Hongkong, 1864. 2s. 6d.

HEPBURN.—A Japanese and English Dictionary; with an English and Japanese Index. By J. C. Hepburn, A.M., M.D. Imperial 8vo., pp. xii. and 536, cloth, 30s. Shanghai, 1867. £2 2s.

HOFFMANN.—A Japanese Grammar. By J. J. Hoffmann, Phil. Doc., member of the Royal Academy of Sciences, &c. Published by command of His Majesty's Minister for Colonial affairs. Royal 8vo., pp. x. and 350, sewed. Leiden, 1868.

HYACINTHE.—Russo-Chinese Grammar, prepared at St. Petersburg, 8vo. pp. 211. 14s.

HERNISZ.—A Guide to Conversation in the English and Chinese Languages, for the use of Americans and Chinese in California and elsewhere. By Stanislas Hernisz. Square 8vo., pp. 174, sewed. 10s. 6d. The Chinese Characters contained in this work are from the collections of Messrs. Marcellin Legrand, Gossier et Lecaroz, Paris, and are printed from the most ancient and most convenient moveable types, by M. Marcellin Legrand, engraver to the Imperial Printing Office at Paris. They are used by most of the missions in China.

HUDSON.—Important considerations relative to English Translations, in reply to the proposal for a new version of the sacred scriptures into the Chinese Language. By Th. H. Hudson. 8vo. Shanghai, 1868. 2s.

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JOURNAL of the North-China Branch of the Royal Asiatic Society, No. II, May, 1853. (10 copies) each 10s.
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JAPANESE DICTIONARY.—A pocket dictionary of the English and Japanese languages. Second and revised edition. Published by Hoffmann Kanenoskey (the first edition being published by Textmeyer). Oblong 4to., pp. ii. and 222, cloth. Yedo, 1866. 6s 6s.

JOURNAL of the Shanghai Literary and Scientific Society, No. I, June, 1858. 8vo., Shanghai, 1858. (6 copies) each 2s.

JULIEN.—Tsien-Tsze-Wen. Le livre de mille mots le plus ancien, livre classique des Chinois publié en Chinois avec une double traduction et des notes par Stanislas Julien. 8vo. Paris, 1864. 6s.

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The delivery of the *Daily Press* from this office commenced on Friday morning at 10.30, and the last messenger left the office at 10.40.

The Daily Press

HONGKONG, DECEMBER 4TH, 1869.

THE letter which recently appeared in these columns from a Roman Catholic Father giving an account of the state of native opinion at the capital with respect to foreigners, is a singular confirmation of the views expressed by the generality of thoughtful people at the ports, who must have formed their ideas from totally different sources. That the view of the state of affairs in China arrived at by an independent judge in this manner should tally so precisely with those which have been deduced by a totally different process of reasoning, is a circumstance not only of interest, but of considerable significance. It seems that the Central Government and the local officials are engaged in a game of mutual recrimination. The Government accuses the Mandarins of not carrying out the orders they receive from Pekin; the Mandarins on the other hand are bitter against the Central Government for affording too great protection to foreigners. While, at Pekin, the Government is considered to be generally well disposed towards Europeans, others are of opinion that it is in secret accord with the Mandarins, and that the complaints that the latter will not obey its orders,—are only made with a view to throwing dust in the eyes of Europeans. In this last view of the subject, there is a great deal of truth; but, at the same time, it cannot be taken as true in its entirety. No doubt, in many instances, the excuse that the local officials will not obey orders, is nothing more than a subterfuge to evade responsibilities; but, on the other hand, it cannot be gainsaid that the Central Government is often defied with perfect impunity. That this is the case is proved by matters which are notorious, and in which foreigners have not been in any way concerned. Up to a certain point, therefore, the Pekin authorities speak the truth, when they say that the provincial authorities will not obey them; but, like too many Chinese statements, this one is only the more calculated to mislead, because it is in a measure true. The provincial and local authorities will naturally offer opposition to measures which are placed in a wrong light before them; and it is too much to be feared that the authorities at Pekin have never taken any measure clearly to let them know the true nature of their relations with foreign nations. Up to the present time, the Treaty has not been promulgated throughout the empire; and hence the local officials and the masses of the people, upon whom the peaceful progress of foreign relations must depend, are left unaware of the obligations under which they have been placed by the Central Authorities. Having put things in this position, the Chinese say that unfortunately foreigners do not understand Chinese and Chinese do not understand foreigners, and so the matter may be allowed to rest to all eternity. The true policy for both nations to adopt is that which will tend to remove this misunderstanding, and this must rest chiefly with the Chinese. It is idle to keep the local officials and the masses in ignorance and prejudice, and then complain that a better understanding does not arise between them and foreign nations. The officials and the people must be made to understand what is the actual state of relations; and, on the other hand, foreigners must be allowed opportunity of becoming more acquainted with the nature of affairs in China. In proportion as a policy tends towards this end, it is sound; and if the Chinese will not of themselves make reasonable concession in this direction, it becomes imperative for the Western nations to use their influence to induce, or it may be even to force, them to do so. The words used by the Catholic Father, whose letter forms the basis of this article, are temperate and sound. He says it is easy to see that China is now passing through a great crisis, and that its future depends upon the course adopted by Western powers. He does not consider that a war is necessary to adjust relations; but holds, nevertheless, that to attempt to stop as we are, would be a fatal error; and that "we might as well prepare a large army and fleet with which to attack the country." The true state of our policy and relations is summed up in a single sentence; "We ought to advance slowly, but firmly, all nations combined together in a similar policy; but, if we do not go on, we shall have to fall back."

It is understood that Admiral de Cornilier has kindly given permission for the band of the Frigate *Venus* to play on the ground opposite the City Hall, on Monday next, at 5 P.M.

POLICE INTELLIGENCE.

December 3rd.

A LOVE OF THE DAB.

Chun-a-chow, of Saiyon, a hawker, was convicted of stealing a wooden bar from the entrance of Tuk-sang-alley, the constable having stated that he caught him in *flagrante delicto*. The defendant declared that he was partially blind, and standing near the gate he was mistaken for the true thief. Sentenced to one month's imprisonment with hard labour.

STEALING YELLOW METAL.

Leung-a-fak, of Poon yu, boatman, and Lai-mun, of Saiyon, were convicted of having feloniously stolen, taken, and carried away from the Patent Slip at West Point, the property of Messrs. McDonald, seven sheets of yellow sheating metal; a portion of which had been hidden under the first defendant's bed, and the remainder elsewhere. Sentenced to six months' imprisonment with hard labour.

ASSAULT.

Chan-a-fook, of Saiyon, boatman, was convicted of having unlawfully beaten and assaulted Ng sai-kew, a married woman, and was fined $1, or, in default, two days' imprisonment.

LARCENY.

Tong-a-ling, of Sai-on, cake maker, having been charged as concerned in the larceny of some fireworks, was ordered to find security in one householder in the sum of $25, to be forthcoming within one month.

A ROGUE AND VAGABOND.

Chan-king, of Shanghai, unemployed, was sent to jail for fourteen days, as a rogue and a vagabond. It appeared that he had presented himself at the office of the Registrar-General and Protector of Chinese, soliciting aid, representing himself as in great distress, in consequence of having been brought to Hongkong by a man, who had promised to set him up in business, but who on his arrival had robbed and deserted him. On this tale, he was sent to the Magistracy to receive relief, but enquiry having been made, it was found not only that the story he had told was utterly untrue, but that he had been a denizen of the Colony for a period of twelve months, and was known as an habitual opium smoker and an inveterate gambler.

THREATENING LANGUAGE.

Tsang-a-yee, of Sunwoi, unemployed, was fined 40s., or, in default, 14 days' imprisonment, for having unlawfully and in a threatening manner, uttered threatening language to a servant of Mr. Carpenter, the opium inspector. He was also ordered to find security in two householders, in the sum of $25 each, to keep the peace for six months.

SUMMARY JURISDICTION COURT.

December 3rd.

BEFORE J. C. WITTE, ESQ.

The case of LAM-AH-SOONG v. WAGNER, which was in part heard yesterday and was adjourned to this day, was concluded. The plaintiff and defendant had agreed on the sum of $110 for the repairs, and $5 for extras, making the claim $115 clear. A question arose as to certain articles for which $25 were charged, which plaintiff alleged, and defendant denied, to have been ordered; but the evidence making it clear that they were not ordered, the amount was not allowed. With respect to the alleged payment of $50 on account, the evidence given by the defendant was very faulty, and judgment was given without reference to it, namely, for $115 as above, less $10 that appeared to have been paid.

SUPREME COURT.

December 3rd, 1869.

BEFORE HON. J. FAURCHOTTE,
Acting Chief Justice,
And a Special Jury, consisting of Messrs. Pyle, Kaye, Lemuna, W. H. Forbes, J. McG. Heaton, Crichton, and Vickers.

Sheik Alli v. Hung-wha and another Amoitese Merchant.

Mr. Hayllar, instructed by Mr. Haseland, for the plaintiff: Mr. Pollard, Q.C., instructed by Mr. Caldwell, for the defendants.

Mr. Hayllar, in opening the case, said that the action was brought to recover possession of certain bales of silk, and the issue was very simple, namely, to whom did the silk belong. The plaintiff had bought the silk from a Chinaman Ling-cheong, and the day after he had paid for it, a claim was made to it by certain Amoiese traders, the defendants in this suit. The case, in virtue of a local ordinance, was first brought in the Police Court, the rule being that in cases of wrongful possession the matter should be first investigated there, but that the losing party had the right to bring action against the other in the Supreme Court. It was in consequence of this arrangement that the case came into court as plaintiff. The circumstances of the case were very simple. A broker brought a minor of certain silk into the office of plaintiff, Sheik Alli, and, in consequence, he sent his clerk to the place where the silk was namely, a Chinaman's house, to see it. The silk was there, was in a trunk, the silk was bought for $2,200. The sum of $1,800 was paid on account, and the silk was delivered. So far as the plaintiff was concerned, the transactions was of a simple business nature. The money was paid, the price was fair, the transaction took place openly, in the ordinary way. The plaintiff had heard of no other claim to the silk except through a letter from Mr. Caldwell, claiming on behalf of Amoiese traders. They say that the silk had been obtained fraudulently. Ling-cheong, who bought it from the Amoiese traders, is now bankrupt, and he has gone then down, as creditors for the silk; and they may, perhaps, feeling annoyed, consider the whole transaction fraudulent. The learned gentleman, however, said he would show that the relation of vendor and purchaser had existed, and there was no fraud. The fact that Ling-cheong had not paid for the silk did not alter the title, if the property was once *bona fide* invested in him. He made no secret of his possession of the silk; he took a muster to the compradore of the Hongkong Bank, wishing for an advance. The learned counsel on the other side might contend that the ordinary business of Ling-cheong was not in silk, but he understood it would be shown that it was not unusual for Ling-cheong to conduct such business. With these few remarks, he would put the plaintiff into the box. Mr. Hayllar then called—

Sheik Alli, the plaintiff, a pensioner, in reply to questions, said—I began the colony ten years, said his ordinary business was to export goods from hence, and get back opium from Bombay. On the 3rd of November a muster of silk had been left at his office and on the 4th November, Noah Mahomed and Ohum came to his office, and said some silk had arrived at Ling-cheong's, and asked him to send his clerk to inspect it. He sent the clerk with the two brokers. They came back together. Plaintiff did not know Ling-cheong before. He bargained with Ling-cheong, and ultimately bought the silk at $220 a picul. There were said to be about 71 piculs. Plaintiff paid $1,800. He first heard that a claim had been made by the Amoiese on the 5th. He gave $5 a picul more than market rate. Similar silk could now be obtained for $250.

In cross-examination, plaintiff said the brokers had not told him that the silk had arrived at Ling-cheong's; they had said at a Chinaman's. He knew it to be Ling-cheong's when he came to his office. The brokers told him to send his clerk to "a Chinaman" residing opposite Peacock's. Nothing more was said. He ordered his clerk to go with the brokers and inspect the silk. The clerk returned; and on his return the silk, but did not state where he saw it. Ling-cheong came back with the clerk. He asked him what the name was, and he told him; and he then made the bargain, arranged the price, and gave the money to his compradore to pay. He orders the clerk to pay the money, $1,800, on hearing the silk had come. One of the terms was, that the silk was to be repacked and weighed in two days. The silk has not yet been weighed or repacked. The understanding was that the balance of the money should be paid when the silk was packed; in the meantime the silk was his. He considered the silk belonged to him in virtue of the sale. He believed he could not resell or ship it till Ling-cheong had weighed it, and the balance had been paid to him. He had not any Amoiese in his house concerning this matter. Some people brought a letter to his office. They did not ask him to give up the silk, and he did not tell them he would as a lawyer, and then let them know.

Re-examined.—By "repacking," he meant being put into chests to be sent to Bombay.

Asam Rizza, broker, said that the last Saturday in October, he saw a Chinaman carrying a bale of silk. He asked him in broken English and Chinese what he was doing with the silk, and whether it was for sale. He said it was with him. This was about 24th October. After the price was settled witness got a document, it was written in his presence and signed by Loi, who affixed his seal. The seal was attached by Lai. He received the silk on the 3rd November, by the *Kinshan* steamer from Canton. He saw Hung-wha (one of the defendants) in company with his accountant to Canton to get the silk; this accountant returned without the silk, and Hung-wha in company with several other Amoiese returned on the 3rd with the silk. He went to the steamer and took delivery of the silk. Hung-wha and others told him they handed the silk over to him. Witness had been adjudicated a bankrupt. The loss in his assets of $600 due from Sheik Alli, was due from the plaintiff. Witness engaged coolies at request of defendants. Hung went to the house and slept there, in a room in which some of the silk was stowed, the remainder being placed in the verandah. They followed him to Sheik Alli's house, when he went with the silk. They slept two nights at his house. The next morning he locked into his strongbox, and found that he had been robbed, and he went off to Canton to look after his accountant. When he went to settle the bargain, the Amoiese did not accompany him. He said he had agreed to pay $230 per picul under the idea that he could get more for the silk; and when he found he could not, he did not go back from his bargain. He had not dealt in Amoiese silk before. He had not been much so that in the business-like report presented to the Chamber we find them here and there with difficulty restraining themselves from bursts of enthusiasm. Of the transit dues we have in many occasions spoken, and in our issue of May 8th last, noted the possibility of their ready settlement on a basis just to both parties, and in most respects agreeing with the propositions of the Chamber. In our last we compared with this the new system to which adherence has been given by the British Minister, pointing out the difficulties supposed to be got rid of, as well as those likely to accrue to the proposed change. Unfortunately, however, the success of the proposed system will depend on such a reform of the administration, as we have little hopes to see attended, and though it is possible it may unite the great central and provincial authorities in a common interest, it is likely to meet with more serious and practical opposition from the great army of barrier collectors which infest the country. Were the Chinese Government sincere, we might look for a reasonable amount of success for the new system, but signs are not wanting that, so far from this being the case, the evil is actually on the increase. By these men the passage of a bale of goods will have to pay half the duties it would be locked upon simply as a breach of faith towards themselves on the part of the Government, and will be resented accordingly; under the former system their exactions were limited, but by a common understanding something was to be paid—what was paid was not taken out. The new system is intended to do away with this possibility, and to divert to the pockets of the provincial administrations these always looked upon as the perquisites of local officers. We know how difficult it is for any one man of what he has been allowed to consider the perquisites of office, and how pertinaciously he clings to them, however ill-founded may be his claim. We think it was therefore unwise in the present state of our relations to have incurred these additional contest, with a body of men whose ubiquity renders them practically unassailable, and who swarm at every village and in ever creek in the empire. In the particulars mentioned, the Chamber can rest in some progress, however tardy and small. The abolition of the likin, however, tied to a loose note of promise, a straw instead of a feather bed. Strange to say, no damage was done to the animal, except twenty or thirty skin deep wounds, the principal of which were caused by the glass broken in the her parlour window. One curious circumstance, however, remains to be told. No, 3 bedroom was occupied by an Irishman, who, being a martyr to rheumatic gout, had been compelled to crawl upstairs by means of a stick in one hand, and holding on to the bannister with the other, each, however, was the terror excited by the unearthly row in the next apartment that with three bounds he sprang down the staircase into the hall. From that moment the rheumatic gout left him; he is now perfectly sound, and can be called on to vouch for the fact."

THE HANGHAI CHAMBER OF COMMERCE.

(S. C. & C. Gazette.)

The Report of the Committee of the Shanghai General Chamber of Commerce, which was presented at the meeting on the 26th November, is a sufficiently remarkable document, and is perhaps the best refutation of the unfounded charges which have been made against the foreign community of the port. With the Report itself we have little to do, it being merely a resumé of the action of the Chamber during the past twelve months, but that action has been marked by such equanimity of feeling and by such tact and temper, has displayed so large an amount of personal sacrifice on the part of the members, and has added so much to our knowledge of China and the mercantile relations of the empire, that we can only regret that, for the present at least, it has partially failed in its object of introducing a change into the commercial system of the country.

The correspondence of the Chamber with the British Minister during the past year has exhibited a marked improvement in the main requisites of precision and temper; no longer confined to general statements, it has been founded on ascertained facts, while the demands made were, if in some cases in advance of what might have been reasonably exacted at the moment, in all cases of a practical nature, and could not fail to confer at least as great benefits on the Chinese Government and people as on foreigners engaged in the external trade of the empire. In this category we place the request for the opening of the upper Yangtsze and the two great lakes, for the reform of the transit dues so as to make them move in consonance with the spirit of the Treaties of Nanking and Tientsin, and for the general opening of the internal waters to certain classes of steamboats, as well as the right of residence, at all events, in specified localities. The practicability of the first of these requests was amply shown by the results of the visit of the delegates to Kiachow; the plaintiffs (the Hongkong and Whampoa Dock Company, Limited) had engaged the services of the defendant, Mr. Ah Chun, for three years, and had bound themselves to provide him at the expiration of the agreement with a second place "passage home," overland, by the P. and O. Company." Mr. Chun, who was then in England, came out under that agreement, and at the expiration of the three years, expressed the intention to return home, and applied to the Dock Company for a passage home "as per agreement." Accordingly the Secretary of the Dock Company purchased a second class passenger's ticket to England from the P. & O. Company, for which he paid $230, and he also paid a further sum of $10 for the transit through Egypt. Mr. Chart's name was inserted in the printed form of ticket, which was handed to him, together with his contract of service cancelled. Mr. Chart subsequently changed his plans, and took service with another Dock Company in the colony, instead of going home; but he retained the passage ticket, and refused to deliver it up to the plaintiffs on demand. The latter accordingly brought an action against him to recover $310, on two counts; the first for money paid by the plaintiffs for the defendant at his request, and, the second for the wrongful detention of the ticket. The plaintiffs recovered a judgment for $310 upon the first count. I am of opinion that, upon the facts of the case, an action on the first count, namely, for money paid for the defendant at his request will not lie, for the money was paid "as per agreement," and not upon any new consideration. On the other hand, I think the plaintiffs were entitled to recover the passage ticket or its value on the second count in default, for the following reasons: The passage ticket, hire a bill of lading, is only evidence of a contract, and in the present case, though the name of Mr. Chart was inserted in the ticket, it is clear that the contract was not made between Mr. Chart and the Dock Company, but between the plaintiffs and the P. & O. Company, for the conveyance of Mr. Chart. I agree with the learned Judge in the Court below, that the plaintiffs were only bound to provide a passage for the defendant, provided he were willing to go home, and it is clear that the ticket was handed to him on the implied understanding that he would go home. On the other hand, it was quite competent to the defendant, after receiving the ticket to change his mind, and refuse to go home. But in my opinion, the property in the ticket and the benefit of the condition for the return of half the passage money in the event of its not been used, remained in the plaintiffs, who were the purchasers of the ticket and the real contracting parties. The learned Judge in the Court below now having decided the case on the second count, I do not consider the value of the ticket to the plaintiffs. Nevertheless, I think there is enough in the case to enable me to infer that the value is $150, or half the passage money, which, by the memorandum, on the face of it, is agreed to be refunded, in case the ticket not used, but is used—and also that such refund could not be obtained without giving up the ticket itself, as it contains a receipt for the full amount of the passage money. It does not appear anywhere in the contract that half the Egypt transit fee is returnable. No hardship can ensue to the appellants by such an assessment of the value, as he can satisfy the judgment on this appeal by simply returning the ticket, which according to my decision, can be of no value to him. I am, therefore, therefore, to prolong this litigation by granting a new trial, simply to have the value of the ticket assessed in the court below. The judgment recovered by the plaintiffs must consequently be varied, and judgment be entered for them on the count in default only, that is, for the return of the ticket or the value thereof, which is assessed at $150.

There will be no costs of the appeal.

THE EDUCATION PROBLEM.

The *Spectator*, cordially contending for education, at all hazard—purely secular education, it it must be so, rather than none—deprecates any needless expulsion of religious influences from the education of our primary schools. The attempt at a sudden revolution in favour of a uniform secular system is not only a blunder, historically speaking, but a blunder in the wrong direction. What such a system practically means is the elimination of all religious teaching as much as possible from education. Distinct secularism means no teaching of religious dogmas to children admitted in secular schools would not always be forthcoming; and if they were, the lessons given by such specially provided means would be near at which meeting in the same room, of instruction when given by persons accustomed to teach secular knowledge, as well. But the denominational system, be fairly tried with a good conscience clause, and it cannot but be that the liberalizing tendencies of the day will so soften and liberalize even the religious teaching, as that many parents, though not belonging to the special sect represented by the school, will be glad to let their children attend. The secular system would mean in the end the abolition of the religious element from the primary education—the widening of the denominational system would mean, in the end the expansion of the religious element into one of the highest and most cultivation of spiritual lessons, for it would soon be found that religious truths cannot be effectually taught to mere children, in a spiritual and undogmatic form.

DEGRADATION OF WOMAN IN UTAH.

Since the opening of the Pacific Railway, intelligent travellers from the East to the far Western States, have imparted in their published correspondence many interesting facts concerning the people and the country. The letters of Edna Dean Proctor have been of this character, and her last one, dated at Salt Lake, gives a gloomy sketch of the terrible condition of the females of Utah, through the system of polygamy, when she says poisons the social air and dries up the heart's sweet and refreshing springs. Many of the wives carry in their faces a hopeless look, and show the patient submission of slaves. They assemble together and talk over their common sorrows. Most of them married when very young, and only through after trials learned to understand their position; their miseries are now so great, that they openly express a wish to be dead! Miss Proctor, after thoroughly examining the horrid system, says that if she were to choose for herself between living in a Turkish harem, and in President Brigham Young's mansion in the city of the Saints, she would prefer to live in the harem of the Turk. She thinks that these fanatic voluptuaries of the West will not be changed through whirlwind or fire; but now that the railway has put them in communication with the outside world, they will soon be ashamed to trample under foot the purest instincts of humanity The reform will begin with the women.—*New Bedford Standard.*

AN UNEXPECTED GUEST.

A correspondent of the *Field* writes:—"One of the most remarkable instances of "picking up stairs," as far as the equine race is concerned occurred at Jesus' Railway Hotel, at Oxford, on Thursday night, Sept. 2. A string of years lings, belonging to Mr. J. Maxey, M.P., arrived by train at the above-named city, and were led to the Railway Hotel by the people in charge. One of the most valuable of the lot—and certainly one that does not belie her pedigree, if, as I was told, she is a daughter of Rambling Kate—escaped from the hands of the stud groom, and, attracted by the lights from the hotel, or, wishing to consult the lawyer, whose room she ultimately succeeded in reaching, galloped down a narrow passage, 50ft. in length, into the hall of the hotel—after dashing her head through the window of the bar parlour, much to the consternation of the gentlemen who were quietly enjoying their evening repast—then, through the hall, up the flight of stairs (twenty in number) into the corridor or passage of the hotel, upon which the doors of the bed-chambers opened. It being late at night (eleven o'clock) the corridor was unlighted, and, as it was, this happened to be the one of our friend the lawyer—No. 7—into which the excited animal rushed, jumped on the large old-fashioned bedstead, tearing the bed furniture to ribbons, and then contrived to get her leg through a cane-bottomed chair, and in her efforts to free herself of this encumbrance, demolished nearly all the furniture in the room. In the meantime the groom ran upstairs, caught hold of her by the bridle, and led her down, where she was held by three or four other people, who had been alarmed by the noise. The question then arose how to get her downstairs. This was accomplished in the following manner:—The whole of the shutters belonging to the hotel were laid in the stairs and fastened, her legs were then secured with bands of some rugs and mats were placed under her back, and by main force she was dragged down the staircase, and landed safely in the hall, then taken out of the front door into the street, where she was released from her bandages, and led to a house near to enjoy a straw instead of a feather bed. Strange to say, no damage was done to the animal, except twenty or thirty skin deep wounds, the principal of which were caused by the glass broken in the bar parlour window. One curious circumstance, however, remains to be told. No, 3 bedroom was occupied by an Irishman, who, being a martyr to rheumatic gout, had been compelled to crawl upstairs by means of a stick in one hand, and holding on to the bannister with the other, each, however, was the terror excited by the unearthly row in the next apartment that with three bounds he sprang down the staircase into the hall. From that moment the rheumatic gout left him; he is now perfectly sound, and can be called on to vouch for the fact."

THE ARCTIC EXPEDITION.

The *New York Times* publishes the following letter, just received from Dr. Hayes, describing the progress of his expedition, dated "Steamship *Panther*, Tugtod, South Greenland, July 23:"—

"After leaving Newfoundland we made one hard call at Cape Desolation, where, the weather being dirty, and there being on this coast neither lighthouse nor pilots, we were forced to get an anchor down and hold on three days before we could steam into Julianshaab, the best of the Greenland colonies, where we arrived on the 15th of July. A few items of our doings since that date may interest you. First, on the 16th, we went up to the old Norse ruins of Kinkortuk, the finest on the coast, and in novel fashion. My old friend, the Rev. Mr. Anthon Cronquist, of Upernavik, he kindly acted as guide, and we crawled into a woman's sealskin boat—that is to say, a Umiak, which was 36ft. long, and was propelled by six stout native women. The temperature was 65 deg. grand the scenery, and many the anecdotes, so we passed a most delightful day, bothered only by mosquitoes, which are more numerous and more vicious, I verily believe, than in any other part of the known world. How old the ruins are nobody knows, but certainly not less than 800 years, and as I wandered through the church yard and about the once massive walls of the homes of the hardy Vikings and sons of Vikings who long ago peopled this coast, the story of their wonderful deeds seemed written in the very air. When Martin Frobisher ran (or cabled) stands much as when Greek visited it some 40 years ago. One gable is yet 18ft. high, the three doorways are perfect, and some of the windows are in the same condition. The walls are almost as free from decay, and in places still very firm. While Bradford was busy with his brush, and Dunmore and Critchenson with their camera, I made a careful plot of all the ruins, which are nine in number. From Julianshaab, where, by the way, I must not forget to mention we had some fine fresh Greenland beef and any quantity of milk, we steamed one to a colony called Kyamiutut, where, directly by a nucleus Dane, Motsfeldt, by name (the only white man in the place), we went up afoot to the front of a great glacier, and there we lay at anchor four days, on the most amicable terms with the monstrous body in sketching, photographing, measuring it, surveying it, travelling upon it, and in short doing nothing that was not agreeable as well as useful. The photographs from it are really superb; are taken from every possible point of view, and are everything the heart could wish for. The weather was warm as June, and dry as June, and we had a month enjoyed by all. There was nothing to interfere with, or, but the aforesaid mosquitoes, which fortunately did not reach the ship, nor yet the summit of the glacier. I believe Egypt is the driest place in the world, but photographs obtained. Unhappily for our complete sense of comfort, the glacier was less disposed to be neighbourly than we, for he set up a terrible fusillade, the moment we got thereat, and pouring down thousands of tons of ice, and an intervals broke from the front, seven icebergs, one after another, rolled their unwieldy forms into the sea, and set the waves upon us at such a terrible rate that we were glad enough to get to a safer place of refuge. But few persons have ever seen an iceberg break off. We can rejoice in having both seen and felt them. We may rhapsodize about Niagara, its roar, its vastness; but one knows not where to begin with a dissolving glacier, so I will not attempt it. From the glacier we came here to meet a hearty welcome from the controller the mines, Mr. Saxtorf, the director, Mr. Fritz, and the agent for the American Company, Captain Reynolds. One is quite amazed at the apparently inexhaustible supply of brown coal in Disko which they have opened. The mines at Waverley, Sherbrooke, Renfrew, Wine Harbour, Isaac's Harbor, and Oldham, opened out in 1861, have all been vigorously worked; Owens, opened in 1861, but partially abandoned in 1863; Lawrencetown, opened in 1861, but worked only at intervals till 1865; Country Harbor, opened in 1861 but results credited to Isaac's Harbor since 1862; Montague, opened in 1863 and worked by works; Uniacke, opened in 1866 and since steadily worked. At present, Sherbrooke has 9 mills driven by steam, and 1 by water, with 130 stamps; Wine Harbor has 1 water and 4 steam mills, with 62 stamps; Renfrew has 6 mills and 47 stamps; Uniacke, 6 steam mills, with 90 stamps; Waverly, 1 water and 3 steam mills, with 60 stamps, Oldham, 2 water and 2 steam mills, with 24 stamps; Tangier, 1

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Several new laws in favor of the development of the region were passed last year, while the canal duty has been abolished and the royalty reduced. At the same time, in lieu of a school of mines, the faculty of McGill University admits men wishing to qualify themselves as miners and explorers to their courses in geology, chemistry, physics, and mathematics. Great advantage must come from this privilege. Under such auspices the introduction of fresh capital, with economy, good judgment, and educated skill, may yet make gold mining in Nova Scotia a highly profitable pursuit.

The first chapter in a Western novel has the following:—"All of a sudden the fair girl continued to sit on the sand, gazing upon the briny deep, on whose heaving bosom the tall ships went merrily by, freighted—ah! who can tell with how much of joy and sorrow, and pine lumber and emigrants, and hopes and salt fish."

COMMERCIAL INTELLIGENCE.

HONGKONG, FRIDAY EVENING.

The drug market keeps steady, with a fair amount of business in progress from Chinese quarters. The following are the ruling prices:—New Patna, $383½ to $535, cash and credit; $538½ on time of the 11th sales; New Benares, $374 to $529; Bills doing on cash terms; Malwa, $650 to $652½, good drug wanted.

In Raw Cotton nothing has been done this day. The dealers are waiting for the arrival of the Calcutta steamers, due about the 5th inst. Unsold stock may be estimated at about 6,500 bales Bengal, 3,300 bales Kurrachee, 300 bales Bombay, and 300 bales Madras; in all, 10,400 bales.

EXCHANGE.

ON LONDON.—
Bank Bills, at 6 months' sight, 4/5½
Credits, at 6 months' sight, 4/6 to 4/6½
Documentary Bills, at 6 months' sight, 4/6½
Bank Bills on demand, 4/4½

ON SHANGHAI.—
Bank, 3 days' sight, 75½
Private, 30 days' sight, 78

ON CALCUTTA.—Bank, 3 days' sight 225½
„ BOMBAY.—Bank, 3 days' sight 225½

SHARES.

Hongkong Bank Shares, Old, 24 to 25 prem.
„ New, 14 prem.
H'kong & W'poa Dock, 4 dis.
H'kong Ch'nu & Macao Steam Boat Shares, 21 to 22 prem.
China Traders' Insurance Company's Shares, $1,300 to 1,500 prem.
Hongkong Fire Insurance Company's Shares, $150 pr. per s.
Union Dock Shares, 50 dis.
Hongkong Hotel Shares, 50 to 60

SALES ON 3RD DECEMBER, 1869.

As reported by Chinese.

Vermicelli, 40 bags, at $4.90, by Fook-wing-loong to Tung-kwan merchant.

Black Beans, 100 piculs, at $2.15, by Fook-wing-loong to Tung-kwan merchant.

China Root, 50 piculs, at $3.00, by Fook-wing-loong to Siam merchant.

Wheat Flour, 600 bags, at $1.27, by Fook-wing-loong to Siam merchant.

Lead, 80 pigs, at $6.30, by Fook-mow-loong to Shanghai merchant.

Yellow Wax, 10 piculs, at $55.00, by Fook-mow-loong to Fat-shan merchant.

Yellow Wax, 20 piculs, at $53.00, by Fook-mow-loong to Fat-shan merchant.

Red Dates, 300 bags, at Tls. 1.8.5., by Kin-loong to travelling merchant.

Dried Lily Flowers, 10 bags, at $10.00, by Kin-fe-ong to Singapore merchant.

White Wax, 2 pieces, at $245.00, by Tak-mi to Swatow merchant.

Red Dates, 500 piculs, at Tls. 1.8.5., by Yuen-fat to travelling merchant.

Black Lead, 100 pigs, at $6.35, by Parsee merchant to Cheehow merchant.

Notices of Firms.

NOTICE.

THE interest and responsibility of our partner, the late Mr. SHAPOORJEE BOMONJEE, ceased in our firm on the 4th instant.

CAWASJEE PALLANJEE & Co.

Im 2215 Hongkong, 23rd November, 1869.

MR. PAUL GERRARD HOBBS and Mr. ALBERT GRATZOW have been authorized to sign our firm here and in China from this date.

SIEMSSEN & Co.

3m 2031 Hongkong, 1st November 1869.

NOTICE.

MR. THOMAS H. DE SILVER is admitted a partner in our firm from the 1st of October, 1869.

E. FRICKEL & Co.

tf 2002 Hongkong, 21st October, 1869.

NOTICE.

WE have this day admitted Mr. BENJAMIN E. GALL as a Partner in our firm.

FAWCETT & Co.

tf 843 Hongkong, 1st April, 1869.

MR. FRITZ RAPP has been duly authorized to sign our firm, per procuration, from this date.

F. BLACKHEAD & Co.

tf 1156 Hongkong, 11th June, 1869.

NOTICE.

THE Interest and Responsibility of the late Mr. HENRY DAVIES MARGESSON in our Firm, ceased on the 30th June last; and Mr. MORTIMER EVELYN MURRAY was admitted a Partner therein on 1st July.

MARGESSON & Co.

tf 1478 Hongkong, 3rd August, 1869.

NOTICE.

I HAVE this day established myself as a Public Accountant, Average Adjuster, and General Commission Agent.

C. LANGDON DAVIES.

tf 1243 Hongkong, 1st July, 1868.

RIFLES, FIXED AMMUNITION AND GUNPOWDER.

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tf 338 Hongkong, 18th February, 1868.

Vessels on the Berth.

STEAM TO SHANGHAI, (*Via* SWATOW AND AMOY.)

THE P. & O. S. N. Co.'s steamship

"NORNA,"

will leave for the above places TO-MORROW, the 5th December, at daylight.

W. M. GILLSON, *for Superintendent.*

P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Office.

Hongkong, 1st December, 1869. [4d 2363

FOR YOKOHAMA, (*Via* NAGASAKI AND HIOGO).

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will leave for the above places, TO-MORROW, the 5th December, at daylight.

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FOR SWATOW, AMOY, AND FOOCHOW.

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"DOUGLAS,"

Capt. Toppin, will leave for the above Ports TO-MORROW, the 5th inst., at 8 A.M.

For Freight or Passage, apply to

DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co.

3d 2273 Hongkong, 2nd December, 1869.

STEAM TO YOKOHAMA, (*Direct*).

THE P. & O. S. N. Co.'s steamship

"MALACCA,"

will leave for the above place shortly after arrival of next English Mail.

W. M. GILLSON, *for Superintendent.*

P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Office.

Hongkong, 1st December, 1869. [tf 2368

STEAM TO SHANGHAI, (*Direct*).

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will leave for the above place 24 hours after arrival of next English Mail.

W. M. GILLSON, *for Superintendent.*

P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Office.

Hongkong, 1st December, 1869. [tf 2264

FOR BOMBAY, *VIA* SINGAPORE AND PENANG.

Should sufficient inducement offer.

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"SHAFTESBURY,"

James Aitken, Master, will be dispatched as above on or about the 5th December.

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tf 2243 Hongkong, 27th November, 1869.

FOR SINGAPORE, PENANG, AND CALCUTTA.

THE British Steamer

"CATHARINE APCAR,"

Captain Swanson, will have quick dispatch for the above ports.

For Freight or Passage, apply to

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Jensen, Master, will have quick dispatch for the above port.

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tf 2287 Hongkong, 3rd December, 1869.

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tf 2281 Hongkong, 3rd December, 1869.

FOR SHANGHAI.

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"KJOBENHAVN,"

Holm, Master, will have quick dispatch for the above port.

For Freight, apply to

OLYPHANT & Co.

tf 2375 Hongkong, 2nd December, 1869.

FOR MANILA.

THE Spanish Brig

"GRAVINA,"

Barcelo, Master, will have quick dispatch for the above port.

For Freight or Passage, apply to

BERENDIOS & Co.

tf 2277 Hongkong, 2nd December, 1869.

FOR MANILA.

THE Spanish Schooner

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tf 2278 Hongkong, 2nd December, 1869.

FOR AMOY.

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EDUARD SCHELLHASS & Co.

tf 2291 Hongkong, 24th November, 1869.

FOR MANILA.

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RUSSELL & Co.

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FOR SAN FRANCISCO.

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"SUMATRA,"

Capt. Mullen, will have dispatch for the above port.

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tf 2354 Hongkong, 15th October, 1869.

FOR NEW YORK.

THE A 1 British ship

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Im 1120 Newchwang, 1st June, 1869.

NOTICE.

MESSRS. MICHELL, BARNARD & Co., of Manila, have been appointed Agents for Manila for the *Daily Press, Chinese Issue of Daily Press, Overland Trade Report, Straits Times Extra*, and all other publications issued from this Office, and residents in Manila will please make application to them.

Daily Press Office, June 1869.

ENGRAVINGS AND PHOTOGRAPHS.

A LARGE and Splendid collection of the above has just been received from GOUPIL & Co., London, and is now for sale at

CHAS. J. GAUPP & Co.

3w 2024 Hongkong, 25th October, 1869.

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Rear of Murray Barracks, Hongkong.

tf 875 Hongkong, 3rd May, 1869.

Business Announcements.

THE HONGKONG DISPENSARY
Established 1841.
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TWO HOUSES, on *Pedder's Hill*, each containing four rooms, with out houses, &c. Water and Gas laid on.

Six fire-proof Granite GODOWNS, below *Pedder's Hill*.

For Particulars, apply to

A. PESTONJEE SETNA,
Corner of Gage and Peel Streets.

tf 2263 Hongkong, 1st December, 1869.

TO LET,

(With immediate possession.)

THAT desirable BUNGALOW, known as "Greenmount," situate on the *Bonham Road*, and till lately in the occupation of C. H. MORGAN, Esq.

For Particulars, apply to

GILMAN & Co.

tf 2185 Hongkong, 19th November, 1869.

TO LET.

THE fine large House, No. 5, *Prain Grande*, next door to Capt. ROBT. GARNOLD'S. Immediate possession. Apply to

A. A. DE MELLO & Co.

tf 2162 Macao, 15th November, 1869.

TO LET.

A FURNISHED Bed Room, situated in *Wyndham Street*. Commanding a view of the Harbor. Address A. B., *Daily Press* Office.

2161 Hongkong, 15th November, 1869.

TO LET.

THAT 6-Roomed HOUSE, No. 4, *Alexandra Terrace*, with Bathrooms and Out-offices. Water and Gas laid on. Apply to

THOS. W. BARRINGTON,
53, *Wyndham Street.*

tf 2123 Hongkong, 10th November, 1869.

TO LET.

IN West Terrace, *Caine Road*, Nos. 3 and 5, containing Four rooms each, also No. 7, with Five rooms and Garden. Water laid on. Bath rooms, &c. Apply to

THOS. W. BARRINGTON,
53, *Wyndham Street.*

tf 2124 Hongkong, 10th November, 1869.

TO LET.

From the 1st December next.

THE Eligible Residence situated above *Bonham Road*, recently in the occupation of M. BOSMAN, Esq.

For Particulars, apply to

ROBT. S. WALKER & Co.

tf 1928 Hongkong, 11th October, 1869.

FURNISHED HOUSE TO LET.

NO. 1, Pechili Terrace, *Elgin Street*, neatly furnished with good English-made Furniture, with possession from 1st November. Apply to

LANE, CRAWFORD & Co.

tf 1878 Hongkong, 2nd October, 1869.

TO LET.

With immediate possession.

NO. 4, Pechili Terrace, *Elgin Street*. Apply to

LANE, CRAWFORD & Co.

tf 1868 Hongkong, 30th September, 1869.

TO LET.

FIRST-CLASS Granite GODOWNS, at *Wanchai*, from 12 to 30,000 piculs capacity. Apply to

E. S. BURROWS & SONS.

tf 1799 Hongkong, 17th September, 1869.

TO LET.

(With immediate possession.)

A BUNGALOW at *Pokefulam*. Apply to

LANE, CRAWFORD & Co.

tf 1683 Hongkong, 1st September, 1869.

TO LET.

THE commodious Business Premises lately in the occupation of Messrs. SMITH, ARCHER & Co., situated at *Spring Gardens*, and consisting of a Large Three Storied Dwelling House containing 22 Rooms, with outhouses and Stables attached; two large dry and airy Godowns, capable of holding 10,000 piculs each, with Offices and Private rooms over the same. The whole having a frontage on the Praya of 210 feet, with use of a private wharf, and a fine view of the harbor.

The houses have recently been painted and put in thorough repair.

For further particulars, apply to

JOHN GERRARD.

tf 1586 Hongkong, 19th April, 1869.

TO LET.

THAT commodious family residence in *Bonham Road*, known as "Bonpolis," containing 12 Rooms, besides basement story, Bath rooms, Coach House and Stable, Gas and Water laid on.

Also, Ground ground, Flower and Vegetable garden. Apply to

THOS. W. BARRINGTON,
53, *Wyndham Street.*

tf 1080 Hongkong, 4th June, 1869.

TO LET.

(With immediate possession.)

SEVERAL Strong commodious GODOWNS, very conveniently situated on Marine Lot No. 65, between Messrs. JOHN BURD & Co.'s premises and Messrs. GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co.'s Wharf.

For Particulars, apply to

A. McLEOD,
At Messrs. GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co.

tf 823 Hongkong, 26th April, 1869.

TO LET.

With immediate possession.

THE HOUSE and OFFICES, No. 4, *Gough Street*, lately occupied by Messrs. A. WILKINSON & Co. Apply to

GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co.

tf 1957 Hongkong, 15th October, 1868.

TO BE LET.

With Possession on 1st Oct. next.

THE HOUSE and OFFICE, No. 9, *Gough Street*, at present occupied by Messrs. KIRCHNER, HOLME & Co. Apply to

GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co.

tf 1274 Hongkong, 1st July, 1869.

TO LET.

With immediate possession.

FOR a term of years, with early possession, those desirable premises in Bank Buildings situated between the Agra Bank and Comptoir d'Escompte, at late in the occupation of the Bank of Hindustan, China, and Japan. The principal building is very suitable for division into Office or Chambers.

For further particulars, apply to

GILMAN & Co.

tf 697 Hongkong, 17th April, 1867.

TO LET.

With Possession on the 1st May Next.

THOSE very desirable Business Premises, situated in the *Queen's Road*, and extending to the Praya, at present occupied by Messrs. HOWRA & Co.

This property can be divided into three portions—that in the Praya is detached, and contains extensive Godowns in the ground and middle floors, with private residence on the upper floor, and separate entrance thereto.

The portion abutting on the *Queen's Road*, from its very central position, is admirably adapted for a Shop or Store, having Godowns on the basement floor, and Dwelling Apartment on the upper floor.

The central portion consists of two Blocks of Buildings, each two storied, and suitable for Offices and Godowns.

For Particulars, apply to

DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co.

tf 426 Hongkong, 1st March, 1869.

CLUB CHAMBERS, D'AGUILAR STREET

A FEW Sets of these desirable Chambers are now vacant, and can be had on reasonable terms. Apply to

DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co.

tf 2147 Hongkong, 14th November, 1868.

LIGHTERAGE AND STORAGE.

THE Undersigned will undertake to land Cotton, Rice, Coals, and other Merchandise in their own Boats, and to receive the same on Storage in first class GRANITE GODOWNS on moderate terms.

ROBT. S. WALKER & Co.

tf Hongkong, 4th March, 1867.

TO BE LET.

THE very desirable business premises lately occupied by Messrs. LYALL, STILL & Co.—a portion of which are now occupied by Messrs. RUSSELL & Co.—with large and commodious dwelling-house and extensive Godowns on the Praya.

For full Particulars, apply to

JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.

tf 2364 Hongkong, 16th December, 1868.

HOUSES TO LET.

IN various Parts of Hongkong. A list of HOUSES with *size, locality* and *terms* can be seen at No. 53, *Wyndham Street.*

THOS. W. BARRINGTON.

tf 842 Hongkong, 11th March, 1867.

To Let.

TO LET

ONE FLOOR of a HOUSE in *Queen's Road*, well situated.

BOB. S. WALKER & Co.

tf 591 Hongkong, 24th March, 1863.

Insurances.

NOTICE.

ROYAL INSURANCE COMPANY.

THE annual rates for Fire Insurance on the various classes of Buildings and their contents will remain as follows until further notice, viz:—

Detached and semi-detached Dwelling Houses (removed from the town) and their contents.	1 per cent.
Other Dwelling Houses (similarly situated) and their contents	1 per cent.
Offices and Godowns and their contents.	1 per cent.

Other Risks by Special arrangement.

The following rates will be charged for SHORT PERIOD Policies:—

Not exceeding 10 days	1-8th per cent.	
Not exceeding 1 month	1 per cent.	
Above 1 month, and not exceeding 3	1/4	"
Above 3 months, and not exceeding 6	1/2	"
Above 6 months, the full annual rate of	1	"

ROBT. S. WALKER & Co.,
Agents, Royal Insurance Company.

tf 1763 Hongkong, 13th September, 1869.

HAMBURG BREMEN FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY.

FROM and after this date the following rates will be charged for SHORT PERIOD Insurances, viz:—

Not exceeding Ten days	1/4 of the annual rate	
Not exceeding 1 month	do	do
Above 1 month, and not exceeding three months	1/2	do
Above 3 months, and not exceeding six months	3/4	do
Above six months the full annual rate.		

WM. PUSTAU & Co., *Agents.*

tf 1667 Hongkong, 30th August, 1869.

NOTICE.

QUEEN INSURANCE COMPANY.

THE following rates will be charged in future for SHORT PERIOD Insurances, viz:—

Not exceeding 1 month	1/4 per cent.	
Above 1 month, and not exceeding 3	1/2	"
Above 3 months, and not exceeding 6	3/4	"
Above 6 months the full annual rate.		

MORGAN, LAMBERT & Co.,
Agents the Queen Insurance Company.

tf 954 Hongkong, 22nd May, 1868.

NOTICE.

BRITISH AND FOREIGN MARINE INSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED.

THE Undersigned having been appointed Agents for the above Insurance Company are prepared to grant Policies covering Marine risks at Current Rates. Policies can be made payable at all the principal ports throughout the world.

MORGAN LAMBERT & Co.,
Agents.

tf 2113 Hongkong, 7th November, 1868.

NOTICE

IMPERIAL FIRE OFFICE.

FROM and after this date the following rates will be charged SHORT PERIOD Insurances, viz:—

Not exceeding Ten days	1/4 of the annual rate	
Not exceeding 1 month	do	do.
Above 1 month, and not exceeding 3	1/2	do.
Above 3 months and not exceeding 6	3/4	do.
Above 6 months the full annual rate.		

GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co.,
Agents, Imperial Fire Insurance Company.

tf 775 Hongkong, 19th August, 1869.

IMPERIAL FIRE INSURANCE CO.

FOR Insuring Houses and other Buildings, Goods, Wares, Merchandise, Manufacturing and Farming Stock, Ships in Port, Harbours, or Dock, and the Cargoes of such Ships; also, Ships Building and Repairing; Barges and other Vessels on Navigable Rivers and Canals, and Goods on board such Vessels throughout Great Britain and Ireland, and in FOREIGN COUNTRIES, FROM LOSS OR DAMAGE BY FIRE.

The Undersigned, Agents for the above Company, are prepared to grant Policies against FIRE to the extent of $60,000 on any one First Class Risk.

GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co.

Hongkong, 1st January, 1867.

IMPERIAL FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY

REDUCTION IN THE RATES OF PREMIUM.

UNTIL further notice the following Annual Rates will be charged for Fire Insurance, viz:—

Detached & semi-detached Dwelling Houses removed from town, and their contents.	1/2 per cent.
Other dwelling Houses used strictly as such, and their contents.	1/2 per cent.
Godowns, Offices, Shops, &c., and their contents.	1 per cent

GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co.

Agents Imperial Fire Insurance Company

tf 864 Hongkong, 7th March, 1865.

MERCHANT'S MUTUAL MARINE INSURANCE COMPANY OF SAN FRANCISCO.

ENGAGED EXCLUSIVELY IN MARINE INSURANCE.

Paid up Capital—$500,000.00.

THE Undersigned having been duly appointed Agents of the above Company, are prepared to accept Marine Risks on the usual terms.

OLYPHANT & Co.

tf 1222 Hongkong, 2nd July, 1869.

UNION OF HAMBURG UNDERWRITERS

NOTICE

THE Undersigned have been appointed Agents at Amoy for the Union of Hamburg Underwriters.

All documents to substantiate claims, against those Underwriters must be certified by us, or they will not be recognised.

(Signed) ELLE & Co.

tf 1592 Amoy, 8th August, 1869.

PHŒNIX FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY

LIVERPOOL AND LONDON AND GLOBE INSURANCE COMPANY.

THE Undersigned have been appointed Agents to the above Companies at this Port, are prepared to grant Policies against Fire to the extent of $40,000 on Buildings, or on Goods stored therein.

DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co.

tf 2096 Hongkong, 9th November, 1868.

OCEAN MARINE INSURANCE COMPANY, LONDON.

INCORPORATED 1859.

CAPITAL £1,000,000.

THE Undersigned having been appointed Agents for the above Company, are prepared to accept Marine Risks and issue Policies at current rates.

AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co.

tf 1351 Hongkong, 7th June, 1867.

IMPERIAL FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY.

THE Undersigned have been appointed Agents of the above Company at this Port, are prepared to grant Policies against Fire to the extent of $60,000 on Buildings, or on Goods stored thereon.

GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co.

tf Hongkong, 24th August, 1864.

LONDON AND PROVINCIAL MARINE INSURANCE COMPANY.

THE Undersigned having been appointed Agents in Hongkong for the above Company, are prepared to grant Marine risks at current rates.

AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co.

tf 471 Hongkong, 6th March, 1868.

Insurances.

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The undersigned are prepared to issue Policies of the CORPORATION of the LONDON ASSURANCE, payable either here, in LONDON, at any of the above-named Agencies, and also at

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tf 138 Hongkong, 21st January, 1868.

LONDON ASSURANCE CORPORATION

LIFE ASSURANCES.

THE Undersigned are authorised to issue Life Policies for sums not exceeding £5,000.

HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co.

tf 1959 Hongkong, 15th October, 1868.

NOTICE

LONDON ASSURANCE CORPORATION.

THE following rates will in future be charged on SHORT PERIOD Insurances, viz:—

Not exceeding 1 month	1/4 per cent.	
Above one month, and not exceeding 3	1/2	"
Above three months, and not exceeding 6	3/4	"
Above six months, the full annual rate		

HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co.,
Agents.

tf 637 Hongkong, 8th April, 1868.

NOTICE.

MANCHESTER FIRE ASSURANCE COMPANY.

THE following rates will be charged in future for SHORT PERIOD Insurances, viz:—

Not exceeding 1 month	1/4 per cent.	
Above 1 month, and not exceeding 3	1/2	"
Above 3 months, and not exceeding 6	3/4	"
Above 6 months the full annual rate.		

HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co.,
Agents.

tf 609 Hongkong, 7th April, 1868.

MANCHESTER FIRE ASSURANCE COMPANY OF MANCHESTER AND LONDON.

THE Undersigned have been appointed Agents for the above Company at Hongkong, Canton, Foochow, Shanghai, and Hankow, and are prepared to grant Insurances at Current Rates.

HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co.

tf 1958 Hongkong, 15th October, 1868.

THE LONDON ASSURANCE CORPORATION.

THE Undersigned having been appointed AGENTS for the above CORPORATION are prepared to grant FIRE AND MARINE INSURANCE on the usual terms.

HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co.

tf 3025 Hongkong, 27th December, 1867.

AMICABLE INSURANCE OFFICE.

THE Undersigned having been appointed Agents for the above Insurance Office, are prepared to accept MARINE RISKS, and issue Policies on any First-class Sailing Vessels or Steamers on the usual terms, payable in case of loss, in China, Singapore, Calcutta, Bombay or London.

ROBT. S. WALKER & Co.

tf Hongkong, 8th October, 1863.

NOTICE.

SUN FIRE OFFICE.

FROM and after this date the following rates will be charged on SHORT PERIOD Insurances, viz:—

Not exceeding 1 month	1/4 of the annual rate	
Above 1 month but not exceeding 3	1/2	do. do.
Above 3 months but not exceeding 6	3/4	do. do.
Above 6 months the full annual rate.		

A. G. HOGG & Co.,
Agents, Sun Fire Office.

tf 678 Hongkong, 9th June, 1868.

NOTICE.

FROM and after this date the following rates will be charged on SHORT PERIOD Insurances, viz:—

Not exceeding Ten days	1/4 of the annual rates	
Not exceeding 1 month	do.	do.
Above 1 month, and not exceeding three months.	1/2	do.
Above 3 months, and not exceeding six months	3/4	do.
Above six months the full annual rate.		

JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.,
Agents Alliance Fire Assurance Company.

tf 678 Hongkong, 26th August, 1869.

NORTH BRITISH AND MERCANTILE INSURANCE COMPANY.

REDUCTION IN THE RATES OF PREMIUM.

Detached & semi-detached Dwelling Houses, removed from town, and their contents. } 1 per cent. per annum

Other dwelling Houses used strictly as such, and their contents.
Godowns, Offices, Shops, &c., and their contents. } 1/2 per cent.

GILMAN & Co.,
Agents, North British and Mercantile Insurance Company.

tf 886 Hongkong, 10th March, 1865.

HONGKONG INSURANCE COMPANY, 1868.

THE undersigned having been appointed Agents of the above Company, are prepared to issue Marine Policies on the usual terms to the extent of £10,000, on any first class risk.

A. G. HOGG & Co.

tf 538 Hongkong, 17th March, 1869.

DE COSTERLING SEA AND FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY OF BATAVIA.

THE Undersigned having been appointed Agents in Hongkong for the above-named Company, are prepared to grant Policies against Sea Risks on the usual terms.

SIEMSSEN & Co.

tf 1669 Hongkong, 1st August, 1866.

FORBES & Co.'s CONSTITUENTS INSURANCE COMPANY, AND BOMBAY INSURANCE COMPANY

THE Undersigned having been appointed Agents for the above Companies, are prepared to accept risks on the usual terms.

GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co.

tf 869 Hongkong, 26th February, 1868.

Insurances.

PACIFIC INSURANCE COMPANY, SAN FRANCISCO.

THE Undersigned, Agents for the above Company, are prepared to grant POLICIES against Fire on Buildings and Goods, at current rates.

RUSSELL & Co.

tf 366 Hongkong, 7th February, 1867.

PACIFIC INSURANCE COMPANY OF SAN FRANCISCO.

THE Undersigned having been appointed Agents in China for the above INSURANCE COMPANY, are prepared to grant Policies covering Marine Risks at the Current Rates.

RUSSELL & Co.

tf 573 Hongkong, 2nd March, 1867.

YANG-TSZE INSURANCE ASSOCIATION OF SHANGHAI.

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RUSSELL & Co.,
Secretaries.

tf 1089 Hongkong, 1st January, 1869.

BATAVIA SEA AND FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY.

THE Undersigned having been appointed Agents in Hongkong for the above-named Company, are prepared to grant Policies against Sea Risks at current rates.

RUSSELL & Co.

tf 1029 Hongkong, 1st April, 1865.

NORTH BRITISH AND MERCANTILE INSURANCE COMPANY.

FROM and after this date the following rates will be charged on SHORT PERIOD Insurances, viz:—

Not exceeding 1 month	1/4 of the annual rate.	
Above 1 month, and not exceeding 3	1/2	do. do.
Above 3 months and not exceeding 6	3/4	do. do.
Above 6 months the full annual rate.		

GILMAN & Co., *Agents,*
North British & Mercantile Insurance Company.

tf 693 Hongkong, 7th April, 1868.

LONDON AND ORIENTAL STEAM TRANSIT INSURANCE OFFICE,

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tf Hongkong, 1st July, 1867.

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